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DESCRIPTIVE LIST OF QUALITY BULBS

GLADVALE GARDENS

DR. J. A. CLAUSEN, PROP. : WALNUT, ILLINOIS

TO THE PURCHASER

1944 has been a critical year for gladiolus growers throughout the country. Help has been difficult to obtain. Fertilizer, spray materials, tools, containers and various supplies have been scarce and high priced. Costs of production have soared far above that of past seasons. It has been necessary to raise prices of bulbs somewhat but not to the extent that average costs of living have been increased.

We have again planted our bulbs on new ground and are proud to offer our customers a high quality of clean vigorous bulbs.

PLEASE READ BEFORE ORDERING

Prices of bulbs and bulblets in retail list are shipped prepaid, those in "Quantity List" are priced F. O. B. Walnut, Illinois. Terms are cash in full with order. We cannot fill orders of less than \$1.00 without a loss, so if your order should total less than \$1.00, add 20 cents to help pay for packing and expense of handling the order.

CAUTION

Don't risk sending silver or currency in payment of your order. If you do so it must be at your own risk. Last season several customers wrote me that they had sent for bulbs but had received no bulbs and no reply. In each case they had put cash in the envelope with order. So please send a bank draft, express money order or postoffice order.

DISCLAIMER

We use every precaution possible to grow high quality stock and true to name. However, we will not hold ourselves responsible for crop grown, because the conditions of planting, tillage and general care are not within our control. However, if bulbs are unsatisfactory upon receipt, they may be returned for refund, and if on blooming they do not prove true to name we will replace with same or other variety of equal value.

We have discontinued some varieties that have appeared in previous catalogs but have adde dmany of the more recent introductions of same color and superior qualities. These newer varieties will hold many pleasant surprizes for you when you see them bloom.

BULBLETS

All bulblets are screened and washed and fresh 1944 crop. They will vary in number per ounce. Most varieties from 150 to 250 per ounce.

When ordering, be sure to specify about when you wish bulbs to be shipped. If you wish your bulbs sent parcel post and want the parcel insured, send 10 cents extra for insurance fees.

SPECIFY SECOND CHOICE

Our 1944 planting was one-third less than 1943, so our available surplus for sale is less than the past season. Orders are also coming in earlier than in previous seasons. We know we will not have enough bulbs to supply the demand; so please send your order early and also mention some varieties you are willing to accept as second choice. We reserve the right to send equal value in smaller size bulbs if we are out of size ordered.

DISCOUNTS

On cash orders of \$5.00 or over before February 15, 1945, you may deduct a discount of 10 per cent. On orders of \$15.00 or over deduct 15 per cent.

OUR 1944 MIXTURE

We are not offering a low priced mixture this season. We figure that any variety not worth pricing separately is not good enough for a mixture. So the mixture we offer is made up of standard varieties as listed in catalogs of 1942-3-4, and contains many varieties and all colors.

SIZES

Large bulbs contain No. 1 and No. 2 or 1½ inch and up. Medium bulbs contain No. 3 and No. 4 or ¾ to 1½ inch. Small bulbs contain No. 5 and No. 6 or ¾ to ¾ inch.

QUALITY PRICES

If interested in quantities of 25, or more of same variety and size, write for our quantity list. We have stock enough of some varieties to sell by the hundred and of a few varieties by the thousand.

VARIETY	Large Per	Medium	Small	Bulblets
ANNAMAE—Early pure white	225 130	215 120	415	¹ / ₄ oz25 1025
ALADDIN—Mammoth salmon	325	525	1025	1/4 oz25
ALGONQUIN—Brillant, tall scarlet	325	5-:25	1025	1/4 oz25
AMULET—Nice rufflet apricot	215	415	1025	$1/_{4}$ oz20
AMRITA—Large dependable buff	215	415		1/4 oz20
AMBERGLOW—Tall, clear deep yellow	325			$1/_{4}$ oz20
ARIADNE—Tall, blotched white	110	215	4 05	1/4 oz25
ATLAS—Outstanding clear "blue"	120	225	425	1/4 oz35
BADGER BEAUTY—New lavendar white throat	125	120	110	625 100-\$1.50
BEACON—Scarlet, cream center	215		615	1/4 oz20
BARCAROLE—Huge, ruffled orange	215	415		$1/_{4}$ oz20
BINGO—Cream Picardy sport	215	415	715	1/4 oz20
BIT-O-HEAVEN—Early, orange decorative	215	415	615	1/4 oz20
BLACK OPAL—Excellent, black red	325	425	725	$1/_{4}$ oz25
BLEEDING HEART—Blush, crimson center	110			2015
BLUE BEAUTY—Our best light blue	225	425		1/4 oz20
BOLERO—New ruf. orange, brown blotch	135			615
BOUNTY—Soft maroon	325			1/4 oz20
BUCKEYE BRONZE—Smokey bronze	135			1215
BAGDAD—Popular smokey. (May be mixed with Picardy)		725	1225	1/2 oz25
CAMELLIA—Blush white, orange blotch	215	415		1/4 oz20
CANDY HEART—Blotched, pastel pink	325	525		1/4 oz25
CARILLON—Light rose, white throat	325	525		5015
CAMROSE—Creamy light rose	325			1/4 oz20
CAPEHEART—Nice salmon rose	110			20-10
CHIEF MULTNOMAH—Flashy grape and scarlet smokey	325			2510
CHARMAINE—Fine rose commercial	215	625		1/4 oz20
CHAMOUNY—Rich, midseason rose	115	110	210	5015
CLINGENDAHL—Orange red commercial	325			1/4 oz20
COMMANDER KOEHL—Good tall red	320			1/4 oz20
CORAL GLOW—Large bright orange	215	315		1/4 oz25
CORONA—Cream, rose picotee edge	115	110		5025

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CREVE COUEUR—Blotched orange DAMARIS—Soft, deep red DEL ROSA—Scarlet and yellow	215 425	315 725 315	1225	5015 5015 2510
DIANE—Orange, cream throat DUNA—Flesh pink or buff EUIDES—Ivory cream, tinged pink	115 325 325			1510 2010 5020
ELIZABETH THE QUEEN—New ruffled, midseason, lavender rose decorative	.50	.35	.25	625 100 for \$3.00
EMBERS—Sparkling frosted scarlet	215	315		1/4 oz20
ELWOOD—Clear lavender, white throat	115	215 215	315	5025 4015
ELEANORA—Magnificent maroon purple FLAMING METEOR—Tall scarlet	150 325		120	715
GARDENIA—Cream decorative (may be slightly mixed)	425	725	1225	1- oz20
GERTRUDE SWENSON—Tall late orchid GOLD DUST—Early deep yellow GRETA GARBO—Choice light rose	325 115	315 315 325	825 725	5015 1/4 oz20 1/4 oz25
HARMAU—Early orange rose. Very popular H. B. PITT—Orange pink. Cream throat HINDENBURG'S MEMORY—Excellent dark red HAWKEYE RED—Dark red sport of Vag. Prince	235 135 225 \$3.00	325 215 \$2.00	315	1225 715 1/4 oz25 10-\$2.50
IEKA—Large smokey IRAK—Lavender grey IVORY KEYS—Ivory white	115 215 325	315 315	315 615 615	2510 1/4 oz20 1/4 oz20
JEANIE—Clear pink, cream throat. Popular favorite. J. S. BACH—Early salmon rose JULES AMOTT—Velvety dragon red	115 115 110	220 215	315 415	2515 2515 ¹ / ₄ oz20
KILDONAN—Salmon rose, yellow throat KING LEAR—Early ruffled purple KING WILLIAM—Fine apricot salmon	215	215 315 110	215	2515 ¹ / ₄ oz20 2515

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LA FIESTA—Tall orange LAVENDER RUFFLES—Ruffled decorative lavender LEADING LADY—Super white Picardy sport	215 215 160	315 140	515 125	5015 ¹ / ₄ oz20 1060 100-\$5.00
LONDONDERRY	215			100-ψ3.00
MAGNA BLANCA—Tall white, yellow throat MAYA MAID—Russet brown MARY DAMARIS—Good medium yellow	215	215 315 315		5015 5015 5015
MAGNOLIA—Creamy rose MALAY CHIEF—Very tall black red MARGARET BEATON—Large white, scarlet blotch	115 325 215	110 315	315 615	2510 1/ ₄ oz20 1/ ₄ oz20
MARGUERITE—Watermelon pink, yellow center MISTY DAWN—Huge smokey grey MINUET —Standard lavender	235 215	325 120 315		1015 1215 1/4 oz20
MOHAWK—Deep maroon MOTHER KADEL—Good medium yellow MOTHER MACHREE—Popular smokey		120 115 415	110	1510 1215 5015
MOONSTONE—Cream, Picardy sport MYRNA—Large ruffled white OREGON ROSE—Rose pink, edged cream	120 115	315 215	615	1515 5020 2010
PARADISE—Tall apricot buff PHYLLIS McQUISTON—Deep pink PINOCCHIO—A novelty, small type, 5 color blend. A winner at the shows	215 215	315 125	115	1/2 oz15 1/2 oz15 415
PICARDY—Best selling salmon PURPLE GEM—Tall early purple PURPLE BEAUTY—Good purple round florets	425 115 215	625	1225	1 oz20 2510 2510
R. B.—Rusty brown on old rose base REWI FALLU—Huge velvety dark red RECOVERY—Light red	115 325 215	110 315 415	215	1225 ¹ / ₄ oz20 ¹ / ₄ oz20
RED LORY—Orange crimson RED CHARM—Highlight among 1944 reds	215 120	210 115	110	1/4 oz20
ROSE DEFIANT—New dark rose		120	115	1025

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ROSA VON LIMA—light rose	215			1/4 oz15
RUDOLPH SERKIN—Early pansy blue		225		3515
SAHARA—Russet, marbled lighter	225	215	415	1/4 oz25
SILENTIUM—White with carmine marking	120	115	215	1510
SNOW PRINCESS—Early white	215	315	.625	1/4 oz20
STOPLIGHT—Large new commercial red	130	120	110	\$15 100-\$1.50
SURFSIDE—Very choice white	110	315	310	3015
SUSAN—Terra Cotta, yellow center	215	415	615	1/4 oz20
SUMMERWEALTH—Deep glistening pink	130	120	110	1025
SWEET ALIBI—Rich pink, white center.	110	215	210	1/4 oz20
TREVONIAN—Red, striated with pink	110	210		2010
TOKEN—Early orange salmon	215	210	615	1/4 oz20
UNNAMED—Seedling Bulbs	10-\$1.00	15-\$1.00	30-\$1.00	
VALERIA—New bright scarlet	225	215	415	2515
VAGABOND PRINCE—Mahogany brown, orange red blotch	215			4015
VELA—Orange salmon, soft unusual shade		215	415	5015
VREDENBURG—Early chalk white	325			5015
WASAGA—Tall buff	215			1/4 oz20
WANDA—Large cream Picardy sport	225	215	315	1525
WHITE GOLD—Mammoth cream, yellow center	145	1.25	115	$\begin{cases} 725 \\ 100 - $2.50 \end{cases}$
WINGS OF SONG—Large rose pink	215	315	310	5025
WINSTON—New ruffled cream	125	120	225	1215
XERXES—Smokey apricot	115	1-,10	210	1015
MIXED—All color mix	00-\$3.00	100-\$2.00	100-\$1.00	l oz20
MIXED—Special, choice all color, hand mixed	00-\$4.50	100-\$3.00	100-\$1.50	1 oz30

Bulbs state inspected in field and storage. Inspection Certificate No. 574.

GLAD CULTURE IN A NUTSHELL

- 1. Planting Time—April 25 to June 25.
- 2. **Site**—In full sunshine, well drained soil. Keep away from buildings, trees and shrubbery.
- 3. **Planting Depth**—Bulblets, 2 inches, small size 3 inches, medium 3 to 4 inches, large 4 to 6 inches. Rows—2 to 3 feet apart.
- 4. In cutting flowers, leave at least 4 leaves intact.
- 5. **Lysol Dip**—l tablespoon lysol; l gallon water. Soak bulbs 4 to 6 hours immediately before planting.
- 6. **Thrip Spray**—2 ozs. tartar Emetic; 2 ozs. brown sugar or corn syrup; 3 gallons water. Mix well. Spray weekly after third leaf of foliage appears until bloom starts.
- 7. Dig bulbs about 6 weeks after varieties are done blooming usually in October. Store in coolest part of basement after bulbs have been dried thoroughly in shade.

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